

## COL. CHINN NOW SAYS HE WAS ONLY JOKING

When He Made Charges Against  
Helm—Two Candidates Speak  
At Nicholasville.

Congressman Harvey Helm and Judge Jere Sullivan spoke in another joint debate at Nicholasville Monday, and from all reports made by many who were there, the Lincoln county candidate had all the best of the argument, and made more warm friends in Jessamine county. Prominent politicians at Nicholasville were freely predicting that Congressman Helm would carry the county by three to one on primary day.

The feature of the day at Nicholasville Monday was the appearance of Col. Jack Chinn, of Harrodsburg, in the audience, and his response to calls from friends in the audience, at the close of the debate between the two candidates. His little five-minute talk was virtually an expression of regret that he had in his recent speech of withdrawal made the charges that he did. Mr. Helm had, in his speech, deprecated the course of Col. Chinn in making so unjust a charge against him, and read the following letter he had long before written to a Mercer county gentleman, whom Col. Chinn admitted to the audience was an excellent citizen and temperance man:

Stanford, Ky., May 31, '12.  
Dr. C. B. Vanarsdall, Harrodsburg.  
Dear Sir:—

Yours of recent date received. The work incident to the Louisville convention is the occasion of the delay in answering same.

I am a believer in the democratic doctrine of local self government, and do not believe that the will of the people should be overridden by federal laws. Furthermore, I will support any bill that is constitutional that puts the control in the hands of the people, and should the committee that has the Shepard-Kenyon bill under consideration so report it to the House, I will vote for it.

Very truly,  
HARVEY HELM.

By this letter Mr. Helm conclusively proved that he had gone on record as in favor of the bill which the temperance people want, long before this issue was injected into the campaign by Col. Chinn.

Col. Chinn made one of his characteristic speeches, and got the crowd to laughing. He apologetically admitted that he knew nothing positively about the charges he had made in his speech of withdrawal; he only had noticed how solidly some of the counties, like Anderson, were behind Mr. Helm and that he made the charges against Mr. Helm as well as those against Mr. Sullivan merely for the purpose of "smoking them out."

Mr. Helm merely remarked that charges against him that he was backed by any "ring," whether made in fun or otherwise, would be as promptly and completely disproved as those already made.

Congressman Helm and his friends are well pleased with his prospects for sweeping the counties in the upper end of the district. A well known lawyer of Stanford, whose word cannot be doubted met a prominent judge of Spencer county at the Bar Association meeting in Louisville last week. This judge said that while he, himself, favored Judge Sullivan, he was convinced that the country people were almost solidly for Helm and that he would carry Spencer by over 300 majority.

## Announces For Representative

Virgil McMullin, one of the best known and most popular young school teachers from the southern section of the county today authorized the L. J. to announce him as a candidate for the democratic nomination for representative from Lincoln county. Mr. McMullin has made such a fine record as a teacher that Supt. Garland Singleton recently appointed him Supervisor of Schools of Lincoln county, to visit the different county schools and keep in touch with the work. He has a wide circle of friends who will undoubtedly rally to his support. So far Mr. McMullin is the only formally announced candidate for this place which will be filled at the primary next year, but for some time Shelton Sanfley, editor of the Interior Journal has informed his friends that he expects to become a candidate and will make formal announcement at the proper time.

## A Bargain.

About 7 1-2 acres of good land in a high state of cultivation located in the heart of the town of Stanford, Ky., 5 room residence, halls, concrete basement. 2 room tenant house and all necessary outbuildings. A splendid proposition for you farmers who want to move to town. If you want it act quick. For particulars see  
HUGHES & McCABTY,  
Stanford, Ky.

## Entertained His Friends.

Mr. Gilmore Burton delightfully entertained a few of his friends Tuesday evening, July 9th, at his home on the Middleburg pike. Among those present were:

Miss Elizabeth Stephenson, Mr. Roger Hicks, Miss Louella Dye, Mr. James Stephenson, Miss Nina Girdler, Mr. Ed Nunnally, Miss Jessie Girdler, Mr. Lindsay Rutherford, Miss Ethel Burton, Mr. John Hicks, Miss Lella Dye, Mr. Gilmore Burton, Lucien Dye, Walter Burton. Everybody went away feeling it was good to have been there.

## Mrs. John Rankin Entertains

One of the prettiest events of the season was the birthday party given by Mrs. John Rankin, in honor of her daughter, Miss Eva Rankin's sixteenth birthday Friday evening, July the tenth. The lawn and porch was beautifully decorated with Japanese lanterns and potted flowers. In the center of the lawn was formed an arch which bore the colors, pink and white, and each couple passed under on entering the veranda.

The ushers were Miss Mary Rankin and Mr. Jonathan Rankin. An enjoyable feature was the music furnished by Miss Virginia Givens, of Harrodsburg, Misses Flora McBeath and Lucy Spoonamore, of Hedgeville, Miss Lissa Holtzelaw, of Hubble.

The entertainers were the following: Misses Bettie Walters, Mary Rankin, Jewel Spoonamore, Nina Rankin and Mr. Lindsay Rankin.

At the proper hour refreshments were served, the colors pink and white being fully carried out. Miss Eva Rankin, Mr. Ewalt Givens, Miss Bettie Walters, Edd Holtzelaw, Miss Alva Holtzelaw, Jonathan Rankin, Miss Virginia Givens, George Givens, Miss Jennie Lawrence, Leslie Sloan, Miss Maggie Rankin, Harry Higgins, Miss Mable Rankin, Bona McKechnie, Miss Emma Holtzelaw, David Spoonamore, Miss Lissa Holtzelaw, Givens McAffee, Miss Jennie Rankin, Otis McBeath, Miss Lucy Spoonamore, George Pope, Miss Margaret Beck, Lindsay Rankin, Miss Mary Rankin, Harry Goggin, Miss Isabelle Reynolds, Bowen Givens, Miss Kate Holtzelaw, John Rankin, Miss Elsie Morris, Burch Hester, Miss Nannie Sloan, Joe Freeman, Miss Dora Hester, Smith Rankin, Miss Lena Traylor, David Rankin, Jr., Miss Cervie Hester, John Spoonamore, Miss Nina Rankin, Ravid Morris, Miss Gertrude Jones, Dick Cobb, Miss Flora McBeath, Sam Harris, Miss Gracie Hutchison, Ernest Christman, Ina Roberts, Robert Hutchison, Miss Ruth Beck, Clarence Rankin, Miss Mary E. Holtzelaw, Morrison Luce, Miss Ida Freeman, Noel Carroll, Miss Mary Belle Spoonamore, Sam Pope, Miss Jewell Spoonamore, Geo. Roberts, Misses Bess Holtzelaw and Vergie Spoonamore.

## Negro Attacks Danville Girl.

Miss Corine Milburn, a young woman about twenty years of age, was brutally attacked by a negro at her home in Danville Friday night. She had gone to the cistern for a glass of water when attacked. She screamed for help, but before her father arrived her garments were torn and her assailant had struck her several blows in the face. The young woman is in a critical condition and did not regain consciousness until this afternoon. She is in a state of nervous collapse and delicious from fright. She has been unable to describe the villain.

## Lorimer Kicked Out of the Senate

Overturning the majority of its own committee and reversing its vote of March 1, 1911, the Senate on Saturday took away from William Lorimer his seat as junior Senator from Illinois by a vote of 55 to 28. A member of the Senate since 18, 1909, Lorimer was declared to have been the recipient of votes secured by "corrupt methods and practices." Senators Bradley and Poynter, of Kentucky voted to retain the notorious blonde boss of Chicago.

## Happiest Girl in Lincoln

A Lincoln, Neb., girl, writes, "I had been ailing for some time with chronic constipation and stomach trouble. I began taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and in three days I was able to be up and got better right along. I am the proudest girl in Lincoln to find such a good medicine." For sale by O. L. Penny.

## Helm Strong at Hedgeville.

T. L. Baughman a prominent farmer of the Hedgeville section, of Boyle county was here Saturday, looking after a piece of land he owns in the Highland section of this county. Mr. Baughman is an enthusiastic Harvey Helm democrat. He says that there is practically no opposition whatever to Helm in his section of Boyle county, and from what he hears Boyle will go almost solidly for renomination of the popular Congressman.

## ROOSEVELT CONVENTIONS

To Be Held by Kentucky Republicans July 27th.

Leslie Combs, of Lexington, who is leading the fight for Roosevelt's third ticket in Kentucky, has issued a call for county mass conventions to be held at the county seats on July 27th for the purpose of choosing delegates to the state convention to be held in Louisville.

Judge John N. Menefee, Jr., and other prominent Roosevelt men in Lincoln county will have their meeting at the courthouse here and select their delegates. It is expected that a big crowd of republicans who do not endorse the methods by which Taft secured his nomination at Chicago, will be present and take part.

Over in Garrard it is reported that a tremendous Roosevelt movement is under way among the progressive republicans. Henly Bastin, who was thrown out as chairman by the Taft people, is said to be leading the fight for Roosevelt and will have a rousing big crowd at the county convention on the 27th.

Up in the mountain section of the state the republicans are said to be practically solid for Roosevelt, and it is said that the strong 11th district will go two to one for him and against Taft.

## DYCHE LANDS AT LONDON

Rival Newspaperman Gets McHargue's Postmastership

A dispatch from Washington says: Alfred R. Dyche will be appointed postmaster at London to succeed Lee B. McHargue, who was summarily removed because of an editorial attack on President Taft in his newspaper. Mr. Dyche is a newspaper man being editor of the Louisville Sentinel.

W. H. Turner will be reappointed postmaster at Middlesboro. These decisions were reached at conference between President Taft and Senator Bradley this morning.

The reappointment of Mr. Turner as postmaster at Middlesboro is a victory for State Senator Joe F. Bosworth, who has been combating the influence of Representative Caleb Powers. Mr. Powers recommended the appointment of his brother, John Powers to succeed Mr. Turner. John Powers moved to Middlesboro three months ago.

W. A. Coffey was appointed postmaster at Columbia.

## A GOOD WALLOPING.

Given Somerset By Hustonville to Tune of 12 to 2.

Hustonville, July 15.

Hustonville defeated Somerset in a tight game of ball on the former's grounds here Saturday. Hall pitched a great game, striking out 13 men and allowing only two hits. The infield played an errorless game. Newton with his famous spiel and Hicks with his heavy slugging, and Hall with his great pitching were the features. Riffe was overcome by heat and was carried off the field. The score:

Somerset	AB	R	H	E	S	B	P	O
Fanhook cf	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Lindell lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Gilmore 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Jasper e	4	1	0	2	1	4		
Evans 1b	4	0	0	2	0	10		
Phillips 2b	4	0	1	0	1	2		
Cain ss	3	0	0	0	0	0		
Ealy p	1	0	0	0	0	0		
Othier rf	3	0	0	0	0	2		
Norfleet cf	2	1	0	0	0	0		
	33	2	2	6	2	27		

Hustonville

AB	R	H	E	S	B	P	O
Tuney 1b	4	2	2	0	1	14	
Burton 2b	5	0	2	0	0	4	
Weddle ss	5	1	2	0	3	3	
Newton 3b	5	1	2	0	2	3	
Riffe rf	5	1	2	0	1	0	
Hicks cf	3	3	3	0	2	0	
Myers lf	5	2	2	0	0	1	
Sandridge c	4	0	1	0	1	0	
Hall p	4	2	1	1	1	1	
	40	12	17	1	10	27	

Two base hits—Burton, Tuney, Gilmore, Hicks; Three base hits—Myers and ieks; struck out by Hall—13, by Ealy 9; home run—Hicks.

## EIGHT CONVERSIONS

To Date at Revival Services at Baptist Church

The revival services at the Baptist church will continue through the week, Rev. J. W. Porter, preaching each morning at 10 o'clock and each evening at 7:45. Prayer and praise service fifteen minutes earlier.

Dr. Porter's subject Sunday morning was Love. His subject Sunday night was Lot's escape from Sodom. Both were powerful sermons.

There have been eight conversions to date. The meeting seems to be reaching the Christian people of all denominations, and many unsaved people seem to be under conviction.

Dr. Porter shuns not to declare a whole gospel and publicly to denounce sin and worldliness of every form. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

## AS DRUMMERS SEE IT

Judge Sullivan Is Hopelessly Beaten In Eighth District.

Drummers who travel over the Eighth Congressional District, say that they are surprised that Judge Jere Sullivan has continued in the race as long as he has. They say that everywhere they go in the district, they find the sentiment almost solidly in favor of the renomination of Congressman Helm, and that they look for him to defeat his distinguished opponent by the largest majority ever given in a primary in the district.

Mr. Lou Holmes, who travels out of Louisville for a big hardware house, and makes practically all of of the territory in this district, told a Lincoln county man at Richmond the other day, that it looked to him that Judge Sullivan was playing very bad politics, in remaining in this race, when it was apparent to almost everyone that he is hopelessly defeated. Mr. Holmes said that he had traveled all over the district since the race has warmed up, and everywhere he goes he finds that the sentiment for the renomination of Mr. Helm is overwhelming. Mr. Holmes has no interest himself in race whatever, and probably had no idea that the man to whom he was talking would repeat what he said but was simply telling of conditions as he saw them over the district.

## To Democrats of Lincoln County

I was born in the southern part of this county and have lived there most of my life, spending the greater part of my early life at work for my father. I am a farmer by practical experience and naturally know the needs of the agricultural people. I procured what education I possess against almost overwhelming odds. Entering the school work I taught for a number of years in different parts of the county and was recently honored by the County Board with the position of Supervisor of schools in which capacity I shall serve this fall. In our next county primary the democrats will nominate a candidate to represent the people of this county in the next General Assembly to be voted upon at the next regular election thereafter. Every voter should be aware of the fact that this man ought to be a man free from any personal desire or interest other than to serve the citizens, his constituents; a man who by his former life and present occupation is able to walk shoulder to shoulder with the great common people and execute their will. Mark Twain said, "We can preserve great rights only by standing up for little rights." We can have a great state government only by having great county government. There is but one day in two years when the people can answer this question, shall we be represented or shall we hand the gavel over to the lobbyists? Therefore it behooves you as voters in whom the fate of our county government rests to think seriously before making a choice.

For some months many of my friends have been urging me from different parts of the county to make the race for representative. While receiving letters, personal calls etc., I have refused and denied them until the call has become so strong that I, realizing that it is no longer my wish but the will of the common people that should be considered, have concluded to enter the race. I have no money to spend in this race nor would I spend it had I the wealth of Mr. Rockefeller, hence I would like to say to my opponent or opponents that I am willing and desire to make the race on the merits of the individual candidate.

I take this opportunity of announcing my candidacy and asking the support and co-operation of the democrats of Lincoln county. My only aim should I be elected to this office will be to execute the will of the people.

VIRGIL McMULLIN.

## To The Insuring Public

It is with pleasure that I recommend the Home Inc. Co., of N. Y., Jesse D. Wearner, The Insurance Man, Stanford, Ky., for his and their liberal and prompt settlement of loss to my barn on June 11 1912. Signed  
H. H. PADGETT.

## A Fine Automobile Demolished

A fine automobile belonging to J. A. Hatchett was demolished last week. The owner was driving down a steep hill, when he lost control of the car and dashed into a rock fence. Mr. Hatchett escaped with a few slight cuts and bruises.

## For Sale.

A nice cottage in Danville in the best residence part of the city. Well sell at a sacrifice; also a farm of 120 acres of good land with residence in Lincoln county, a bargain for anyone who wants a home; also have good residence property in Stanford, Ky. Any of this property will be sold worth the money. Address Lock Box 249. 56-4t.

## Lancaster.

Elder F. M. Tindler filled his pulpit at the Christian church Sunday morning. He left Monday for a recuperative stay at the Spitzer Sanatorium.

Fred P. Frisbie has resigned his position as commercial traveler and accepted one in the insurance business, of Hudson and Wherritt and will have his office at the Citizens National Bank.

Mr. James Adams, of Mt. Vernon, who died in a Lebanon hospital last week lived in this county for a number of years at Camp Robinson, being a son of the late Thomas Adams. His death was from blood poisoning which followed after the amputation of a toe.

The circulating library under the auspices of the Woman's Club has a new set of books at the millinery room of Miss Rella Arnold and invite those especially interested in good reading matter to examine and read them.

The members of the Christian church will give a picnic Wednesday evening in the yard adjoining the building. A substantial lunch will add much to the enjoyment of the occasion.

Friends of Mr. James A. Beazley, the popular President of the Lancaster Fair Association, will be glad to hear he shows improvement from his recent serious illness, and it is thought "Richard" will shortly be himself again.

Messrs. Hughes and Swinebroad, the hustling real estate agents, sold the house and 2 1-2 acres of Elder F. M. Tindler on Water street, to Mr. W. F. Champ, cashier of the Citizens National Bank for \$4,100. The residence is now occupied by Mr. J. F. Holtzelaw and family.

Quite a consternation was created Sunday morning after the close of the different Sunday schools when it was known the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Osborn, Walter late residents of Lancaster, was lost, or had strolled away from home. Immediate search was made and she was gladly returned to her parents.

Miss Bernice Lear is entertaining an attractive house party, comprised of the following guests: Miss Margaret McMurrey, North Carolina, Misses Elizabeth Terrill, Elath Buchanan and Margaret Covington, of Richmond, Miss Jane Young, Lexington, and Margaret Arnold of Lancaster.

Mr. Samuel Totten, formerly of this place, died at his home in Decatur, Ill., after a several weeks' illness, age 52 years. A wife who was Miss Petty, of Lancaster survives him. He was the son of Judge Samuel Totten, a former resident of this place. A brother and 2 sisters also mourn his loss. He is an own cousin of Senator W. O. Bradley.

Miss Lucy Francis is in Richmond with Misses Edna and Naomi Ballew. Mrs. J. L. Riley is at home from the Richmond Normal school, where she took a special course in art. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fox Logan, of Wilkesbarre, Penn., are here for a stay with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mason. Mrs. Mattie P. Frisbie is at home from a visit to Danville. Mrs. John Woods and children, of Lexington, are with Garrard relatives. Mrs. J. H. Perkins, and little daughters Susie and Frances, of Oklahoma, are guests of Mrs. Perkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Long. Miss Letty May McRoberts, is enjoying an outing to Niagara, Canada and New York. Mrs. George M. Patterson and daughter left Friday for a stay at Lake Chautauqua New York. Miss Bessie Yantis, of Indianapolis, is with her cousin, Miss Allie Yantis.

## Jess Thomas Acquitted

Jess Thomas, who was charged with killing his relative Jake Thomas on Goose Creek last October, was tried and acquitted in the Casey Circuit Court last week. The Commonwealth was represented by Huddleston, Aaron and Godbey, while the defense was represented by Montgomery, Moore and Phelps. Nearly 100 witnesses were in attendance.—Casey News.

Arthur Capper the leading republican candidate for governor and one of the most successful newspaper publishers in the country, has come out strongly for Roosevelt's third party.

Leslie Combs of Lexington, is issuing calls for the organization of the Roosevelt party over the state.

On last Thursday, July the 4th, the Liberty ball team defeated Hustonville by a score of 3 to 2, in a very exciting game, with Hatter and Allen as the battery for the home boys and Hicks and Tuney for Hustonville.

Gamblers in Wall street are offering 8 to 5 and 3 to 2 that Woodrow Wilson will be elected president. They are finding no takers, and believe they will have to offer 2 to 1 to find any Taft money.

Prof. F. L. Rainey, of Centre College, was here Wednesday in the interest of that institution.

## SEVERE CRITICISM OF CASEY CIRCUIT COURT

By State Inspector and Examiner, Is Replied to by Judge Carter in Detail

The Frankfort State Journal in a recent issue said:

Sharp criticism of leniency toward "pistol toters" under what State Inspector and Examiner Goodpaster terms "a general suspension of Section 1309 of the Statutes," is contained in a report translated yesterday to Acting Governor McDermott, based on an inspection of the official records of Casey county by assistant Inspector Phillip D. Arnold.

In concluding his report, Inspector Goodpaster says: "A condition exists in the office of the Circuit Court Clerk in this county which I deem proper to bring to your attention. The records disclose the fact that quite a large number of judgments on misdemeanors or indictments have been recovered in favor of the Commonwealth when defendants were before the court and in custody of the court at the time the verdicts were returned, and instead of the defendants being called upon to pay or replevin their fines, they were allowed to walk out of the court and leave the county."

"At some subsequent time the clerk would issue a capias and place it in the hands of the sheriff, which later would be returned by him 'not found.' Particularly is this true in cases when the charge was carrying concealed a deadly weapon. The records show that often when the fine was \$25 and 10 days in jail, the \$25 fine would be paid, but there was no enforcement of the 10 days in jail.

The report shows the collection of \$157.57 due the Commonwealth, as follows: From W. C. Cundiff, county court clerk, \$11.08; from F. A. Land, circuit court clerk, \$4.35; from Jason Wesley, ex-circuit court clerk, \$100.24; from J. C. Lay, constable, \$24; from L. Wells county judge, \$5.90; from W. T. Brown, sheriff, \$12.

Judge J. C. Carter, of the Casey circuit court, has been aroused to defense of his court by the above report of the State Examiner and Inspector, and replies to the criticisms of his court.

Judge Carter explains in a communication to Acting Gov. McDermott that the practice in his court is to issue summons in misdemeanor cases, instead of bench warrants, and that frequently default judgments are taken without the prisoner being actually present. He said, speaking specifically of the charge that the practice complained of was common of persons charged with carrying concealed deadly weapons, that in only three of such cases has the fine been collected and the jail sentence not enforced. In none of these cases, he protests, was the prisoner in the custody of the court. The whereabouts of two of the accused are not known, but the other is within reach of the court and will be taken into custody.

In misdemeanor charges two courses are open, one by issuing a summons as in a civil proceeding in which case judgment can be taken against the accused by default; the other is by issuing a bench warrant and taking the prisoner into custody or putting him under bond to appear personally. Frequently, it is stated where a summons is issued the accused never appears, except possibly by attorneys, has the fine paid and stays out of the jurisdiction of the court.

The gist of Inspector Goodpaster's criticism was that the misdemeanors were very frequently not required to serve the jail sentence; that were present in court when the trial was held, that they walked out, and afterwards capias being issued, the capias was returned by the sheriff "not found."

His inspection of the records in Casey county shows twenty cases in which the docket recorded the defendant "present," the fine and jail sentence imposed and then capias returned "not found." These include shooting in the public highway, gambling, selling liquor to a minor, and breaches of the peace.

His report goes back two years and includes five, instead of three cases of carrying concealed deadly weapon, in which the jail sentence was not imposed.

Judge Carter said in his communication that since his incumbency the clerk has conformed strictly to the statutes in the performance of his duties in such cases; but that before the present term is concluded he will go over the records of the clerk and sheriff to ascertain the practice under his predecessors, and see that the clerk and sheriff do their duty, or suffer the penalty for not doing so.

For summer diarrhoea in children always give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, and a speedy cure is certain. For sale by G. L. Penny.